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It is a stamping outfit for home use, that requires no paint, no powder, no hot irons, and no cleaning of patterns. Any Drawing, Picture or Initial from Newspaper or Magazine serves as a pattern. This pad is new and simply can be used by a child, and stamps perfectly on Glass. China, Silk, Velvet, Lineb, and in fact all frbries. Mr. W. A Richards will be in our art department and will show the many advantages of this wonderful invention.

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10 dozen Round or Square S	pachtel Mats (eac	h)		120
10 dozen Good Size Round Si	pachtel Centre Pie	ces		390
32-inch Square Spachtel Star	nd Covers			490
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In our celebrated 98c line of Kid Gloves Royal Blues, Olive Greens, Cardinass, Plums, etc.

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Worth \$1.60-all colors besides black and white with black stitching. ****Better Kid Glove values at \$1.35 and \$1.50 not to be had anywhere. Lined Leather Gloves and Mits 50c up.

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Genuine Scotch Suitings, 50 Inches wide, worth \$1.50, at 98c yard. Illu-minated Granite Weave Suitings, 50 inches wide, worth \$1.00, at 75c yard. Many others from 25c yard up.

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A wide range of Novettles, worth up to \$2,00 yard, at 98c yard. A handeome Black Satin Luxor, worth \$1.09 yard, at 79c yard. Plenty more like these.

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All Wool Blankets \$2.48, \$3.19, \$3.95, \$5.00 and up. Buy FINEST St. Mary's Blankets now at the special Christmas prices.

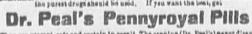
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In All Wool Skirts at 47c, 59c, 75c, 98c and up.

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Water rents for the six months end-ing March 31, 1898, are now ready. If paid on or before December 31, 1897, a discount of 10 per cent will be allowed. THE CITY WATER BOARD.

MAX L. HESS, PLORIST, Has a fine display of Regonlas, Palms and Flowering Plants all week.

ALL Lued Kid Gloves and Mitts half price. SWAHACKER'S.

Dear Old Thomas.

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To the old pupils of Mount de Chantal, no news of the year will be of more interest than that of the marriage of our dear and faithful Thomas. Says "The Mount": The nutptial mass was celebrated in the chapel, and was the first one within its walls, the honor was granted to Thomas in recognition of his years of faithful service. The ceremon was performed by Right Rev. Hishop Donohue. A weedding breakfast was served, and then an impromptu reception was held for the girls to offer their congratulations. Thomas asked for a half holiday, and the girls enjoyed it to the full. Mrs. Downs was Miss Mary O'Brien, of Wheeling, who has long been associated with the good works of the Cathedral parish.

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Photographs that give customers Kirk's Ground Floor Studio, 1005 Main, FOR THE HOLIDAYS. Fine Wines of every description, im-orted and domestic. P. WELTY & CO.

THIS IS SHOCKING.

Well Known Citizen Loses His Right Arm in an Accident

ON WHEELING & ELM GROVE

RAILROAD AT WHEELING PARK STATION - THE TRAIN HAD STARTED AND MR. LOUIS C. STI-FEL, THE VICTIM OF THE ACCI-DENT, ATTEMPTED TO GET OFF. THROWN UNDER THE CAR, HIS RIGHT ARM WAS CRUSHED-AM-PUTATION WAS NECESSARY.

Last evening at 5:30 o'clock a shocking accident occurred on the Wheeling & Elm Grove railroad at Wheeling Park station, four and one-half miles east of the city. The victim is one of Wheeling's best known business men, Mr. Louis C. Stifel, a member of the firm of J. L. Stifel & Sons, calleo manufac turers; president of the Arion Society. and vice president of the Franklin Insurance Company. Mr. Stifel left town on the 5 o'clock

motor of the Wheeling & Elm Grove road, intending to get off at Wheeling Park station and walk to the home of Mr. William Stamm, a few rods away, where "Grandmother" Stamm was having a birthday celebration. When the motor stopped at the park station, through some misunderstanding Mr. Stifel did not alight from the rear car in which he was seated. When the train started from the station, he hurried to the platform with the intention of jumping off. The conductor, Wilson Smith, saw what he intended doing and cried to him that he would stop the train. Mr. Stifel did not hear and jumped off. On alighting on the ground on the upper side of the station, he became flustered and failed to release his hold on the car rail. The train was moving with some rapidity at this time, and the unfortunate man was thrown down. Unfortunately his arm was thrown down. Unfortunately his arm was thrown under the wheels, which passed over it both above and below the elbow, badily crushing the member.

As soon as possible the train was stopped and the shocked trainmen and passengers hurried to the spot where Mr. Stifel had fallen. Willing hands assisted him to his feet and, notwithstanding his serious and extremely painful injuries, he walked to the Stamm house. As soon as possible physicians were called. A consultation was held in which six medical men participated and the result was that they determined that amputation was necessary. Accordingly at 7:30 o'clock the limb was amputated just below the shoulder. Mr. Stifel was suffering intensely last night, but it is not thought that his injuries are more than serious.

The news of the accident spread over the city last night in a remarkably short time, and there was a general expression of symmathy with the unfortunate stone. motor of the Wheeling & Elm Grove road, intending to get off at Wheeling

the city last night in a remarkably shor time, and there was a general expres-sion of sympathy with the unfortunate man, who enjoys the universal esteem of his townsmen.

Gold Speciacles

Make very appropriate Christmas gifts. Henry W. Etz. Optician, Exchange Bank Building, has the largest assortment in the city at the most reasonable prices, thorough test of the eyes and lenses furnished to suit without extra charge. Open evenings until Christmas.

PARLOR Suits and odd chairs and fancy rockers at one-half price. WHITE, HANDLEY & FOSTER.

TIDIES, Scarfs and Table Covers, hand-somest line. SWABACKER'S.

FINE Fruit Cakes at Huebel's Gro-cery House, 2251 Market street.

THE Merrifield Plano is on top. See it before purchasing.

Dolls. 98c for some that have sold at close to \$2, GEO. M. SNOOK & CO.

Wanted.

Everybody to stop at L. Schafer's and buy their gents' furnishing goods, underwear and gloves, at the lowest prices.

No. 1404 Market Street.

SPECIAL bargains in Birth Stone Rings, \$1 25, at Sheff's.

P. WELTY & CO.'S store will remain onen during the evenings the balance of this wee's.

FINE Gold Stick Pins at McNamee's TO-MORROW at 10 o'clock I will sell a Fine Upright Plano at F. W. Bau-ner Co's to the highest bidder. J. C. HERVEY, Auctioneer.

POCKETBOOKS and Satchels, endless variety. SWABACKER's.

LEAVE orders early for your Christ-nas Turkey at 12'se per pound. HOFFMAN BROS., 2344 Chapline St.

GRAND SALE EXTRAORDINARY. One Hundred Planes to be sold this north at Cut Prices, at House's.

Water Colors beautifully framed, Low prices at KIRK'S, 1005 Main Street.

SILVER Novelties at M'NAMEE'S.

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OTHERS tell their little stories, but enther sells the goods. TO-MORROW at 10 o'clock I will sell a Fine Upright Piano at F. W. Baumer Co.'s to the hishest bidder.
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THE new oblong shape of P. E. prayers and hynmais, with or without metal corners—For sale at Stanton's Old City

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Do not fail to see in our window the large display of high grade

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Christmas Silk Neckties for Men and Christmas line White or Colored Shirts for Christmas All Silk large Munilers for, 48c Christmas Sweaters for Men and Boys 48c, 98c Christmas fine Umbrelias for Men.

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